

Growing Nimble Families

Helping School Age Kids Correct Their Work

BEFORE YOU START

- Finish early enough that there is time to edit the work.
- Explore the process of moving through from initial thought to final work is messy, complicated, time consuming and full of changes that culminates in a final piece that makes you happy. Plan for this.

WHEN THE KIDS FINISH

- Copy and paste finished work into Google Translate to listen to their work read back to hear errors.
- Foster sibling relationships and learning to seek feedback with ONE thing to work on and ONE thing they liked.
- Google Docs- encourage collaborator or parent to use the comment feature to comment on a few mistakes.
- Go back, look up and change 2 words that you were not sure of when you wrote them? Or find a few overused words that you can change or other higher level activity.

WHEN THEY COME TO US

- Let them highlight something they would like some help on within the piece and be willing to seek advice and discuss.
- US: Have some well known pet peeves you always ask.
- US: Have some well known happy dance activities you are excited to see (Things that aren't always easy)